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10	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
11	SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION	
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13	MARC OPPERMAN, et al.,	Case No.: 13-cv-00453-JST
14	Plaintiffs,	PATH, INC.'S REPLY IN SUPPORT OF ITS PARTIAL MOTION TO DISMISS SECOND
15	V.	CONSOLIDATED AMENDED CLASS ACTION COMPLAINT
16	PATH, INC., et al.,	DATE: December 2, 2014
17	Defendants.	TIME: 2:00 p.m. COURTROOM: 9
18		JUDGE: Hon. Jon S. Tigar
19		THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE
20		FOLLOWING CASES: Opperman v. Path, Inc., No. 13-cv-00453-JST
21		Hernandez v. Path, Inc., No. 12-cv-1515-JST
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REPLY MEMORANDUM

Plaintiffs' do not dispute that their Second Amended Complaint makes no new factual allegations in support of their common law conversion claim beyond what was alleged in the Consolidated Amended Complaint that this Court previously dismissed. Instead, Plaintiffs implicitly ask the Court to view those allegations through a different lens by citing to an inapplicable California statute and inapposite case law concerning contractually or statutorily created exclusive rights that Plaintiffs have not alleged exist here. As set forth in the Reply briefs filed by Defendants Electronic Arts, Inc., Chillingo, Ltd., Rovio Entertainment Ltd, and ZeptoLab UK Ltd. (Dkt. No. 512); Yelp Inc. and Foodspotting, Inc. (Dkt. No. 513); Twitter, Inc. (Dkt. No. 518); and Instagram, LLC, which Path hereby adopts and incorporates by reference, Plaintiffs' conversion claim against Path should be dismissed for lack of Article III standing and for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted.

Plaintiffs have had multiple opportunities over two-and-a-half years to try to plead a claim for common law conversion. Throughout those efforts, they have not added any substantively new factual allegations that could support a conversion claim. No amount of repleading can cure the defects that served as the basis for Judge Gonzalez Rogers' dismissal of the conversion claim against Path in *Hernandez v. Path, Inc.*, No. 12–cv–01515–YGR, 2012 WL 5194120, at *1–2 (N.D. Cal. Oct. 19, 2012) or in this Court's May 14, 2014 Order (Dkt. No. 67). *See Albrecht v. Lund*, 845 F.2d 193, 196 (9th Cir. 1988) (dismissal of claim with prejudice is proper where allegations of other facts consistent with the challenged pleading could not possibly cure the deficiency, rendering amendment futile). Accordingly, dismissal should be with prejudice.

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